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**TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice Regarding Drawings mailed July 14, 2005, transmitted herewith are two (2) sheets of formal corrected drawings of Figures 1 and 2 for the above-identified patent application.

The fees have been calculated and no further fees are believed to be required. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1265.

Respectfully submitted,

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